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OGC 73-0100

22 January 1973


MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Certification Branch, C&L  
Division, Office of Finance

SUBJECT: Automobile Accident--John H.  
Williams

1. The facts of the accident of 22 September 1971 which occurred at 9th and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., as described in the attached file, are such as to make the Government liable under the Federal Tort Claims Act. A claim in the amount of \$1,092.40 from Mr. John H. Williams via Mr. Robert A. Johnson, his attorney, is forwarded for your action.

2. As this was a negotiated settlement, the undersigned has already procured an executed SF-1145, attached, from claimant. Please draw the Government check in favor of claimant and forward to his attorney's office.

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Assistant General Counsel

Att: Background

cc: C/C&L Division  
OL/Motor Pool  
OS/Safety Officer

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OGC 73-0015

2 January 1973

Mr. Robert A. Johnson  
Dolphin, Branton, Stafford &  
Webber  
McLachlen Bank Building - Suite 500  
666 Eleventh Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20001

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Re: Mr. John H. Williams

Reference is made to our conversation of this afternoon concerning the claim of your client, Mr. John H. Williams, which claim arose out of an accident on 22 September 1971 between an Agency driver and Mr. Williams.

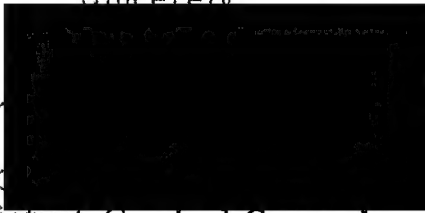
You have claimed the following:

Property Damage	\$ 192.40
Doctor's Bill	219.00
Medicine	12.00
Lost Earnings	300.00
Transportation to & from Doctor	64.00
Pain & Suffering	<u>1,000.00</u>
TOTAL	\$1,787.40

It is my understanding that our negotiation concluded with an agreement on a settlement figure of \$1,092.40 with \$900 representing all personal injury aspects of the claim and \$192.40 representing the property damage. If my understanding is correct, would

you please have Mr. Williams sign both sides of the enclosed release and return it to me. Upon receipt of the release, I will forward the Government's check in the amount of \$1,092.40 to your office.

Sincerely,

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Assistant General Counsel

Enclosure

cc: C/C&L Division  
OL/Motor Pool  
OS/Safety Officer

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OGC 71-1609

4 November 1971

Mr. Robert A. Johnson  
Evans, Dolphin, Stafford and Webber  
McLachlen Bank Building - Suite 500  
Washington, D.C. 20001

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Reference is made to our conversation today concerning the claim of your client, Mr. John H. Williams. As promised, I have enclosed the necessary forms for an administrative claim under the Federal Tort Claims Act.

Sincerely,



Assistant General Counsel

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Enclosures

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